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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 from Canadian Application No. 2,326,368, filed November 20, 2000, and under 35 U.S.C. §120 from pending United States Patent application Serial No. 09/687,449 filed October 13, 2000 entitled "Method and System for Targeted Advertising".

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- ☒ Utility Patent Application: Spec. 19 pgs; claims 4 pgs; Abstract 1 pg.
- ☒ 11 sheets of informal drawings.
- ☒ Return postcard

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